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BUSINESS SPECIALS.
Under this head business notices inserted
at ten cents per line. Seven words to the line.
Buy your Kow-Kure at the Tucker
Harness Store.
Experienced help repair, clean and
press clothes in a proper manner at F. H.
Noyes Co.'s.
New wall papers at Noyes Drug Store.
See ad.
New fresh line of candy at Beck's.
C. N. Tubbs has a store and house con-
nected to rent. Best location in town.*
Pasta Magnolia, best tooth liquid. For
sale only at Noyes Drug Store.
Thomas Smiley's dressmaking room
opened March 2, Miss Carrie Matthews
in charge.
First-class custom tailoring at F. H.
Noyes Co.'s.
A tall gallon, weigh and measure any
other—New Era.
Beck's candy is all new, no old stuff.
New suits, skirts, waists, wrappers,
muslins and waists at Thomas Smil-
ey's.
Candy paper prepared especially for
typewriters, at Hobbs' Variety Store.
Large assortment of new spring caps,
men's, boys' and children's, just received
at F. H. Noyes Co.'s.
Agent for the New Era paint, Wm. C.
Leavitt.
See Beck's candy prize in window.
New styles in spring hats. You'll find
the one you ought to wear at F. H.
Noyes Co.'s Blue Stores, Norway and
South Paris.
See Beck's prize candy ad.
Call and look at the new lot of couch-
es and adjustable arm couches, also high
grade, quartered oak chamber sets, at O.
B. Cummings & Sons.
Stone has just received his spring fine
of paint brushes.
Have you got your seed corn? If not,
then call at the shop of H. F. Webb and
get it. See notice in another column.
A gallon can measures six and three-
fourths by seven and one-fourth. Meas-
ure the others—New Era.
Big new line of candy at Beck's.
Some bargains left for you in over-
coats, suits, pants and under-
wear to close out balance of winter
stock at F. H. Noyes Co.'s.
Remnants in wall paper at Stone's.
Buy your candy at Beck's. It's new
and fresh.
Seventeen and one-half pounds to the
gallon—New Era.
New lot of goods in all departments.
Beck's.
Pure paint, every atom of it—New Era.
F. H. Noyes Co. are agents for the
famous Lamson & Hubbard hats. They
have the spring styles now ready to
show you. If you want the best, buy
this make.
More new wall paper at Stone's.
Lecture, In His Steps. Admission, 20
cents, children under 12, 10 cents. Schol-
ars in the public schools buying tickets
in advance only, 10c.
NORWAY AND VICINITY
Got a Wetting.
Officer Tucker's horse which ran away
Tuesday evening, went up the Rumford
road and finally took the track of the
Norway Branch railway toward the
west. Near the bridge over tannery
brook he swerved off and went into the
brook.
L. J. Gilbert who was just going home
from the store and was near the Metho-
dist church heard the noise and learning
the cause from some small boys, went to
where the horse was coming up to the
railroad track again.
He failed to get controlling grasp on
the animal and in trying to get out of
the way slid down the hill into the brook
and the horse came tumbling after. Mr.
Gilbert then got out of the brook and
others coming the horse was rescued,
being taken to O. M. Cummings' stable.
Mr. Gilbert received a few minor
scratches but as yet has felt no bad re-
sults from his exertion and chilly bath.
The sleigh of course was badly wrecked.
Bertha Mann is home from Tufts Col-
lege for a rest, having been obliged to
drop study for a while.
Dr. J. P. Stetson was at his home in
Brunswick, Monday, to vote. He returned
Wednesday morning.
Mrs. Mary Lowell who has been very
successful as a nurse in our village, has
gone to the Augusta hospital.
John Hayes has sold his house on Al-
pine street occupied by Chas. Knights to
Ransom Gould of Otisfield.
Walter Thompson and family spent a
few days with his father, Stephen
Thompson of Bridgton, last week.
Eva and Minnie Upton of North Nor-
way have been visiting Lulu Libby and
Mrs. Hudson Anderson of Auburn.
Mrs. G. A. Allen will attend the spring
military openings in the city, prepara-
tory for the spring trade in millinery.
W. L. Merrill quite sick with the
grip but is somewhat better. Frank L.
Pike is keeping the studio open for him.
A meeting of the W. O. C. T. U. is ap-
pointed for Wednesday evening, March
11, at the home of Mrs. Frank Danforth.
Howard B. Young spent Tuesday in
Augusta, attending the hearing on elec-
tric light matters, continued from last
week.
Rev. A. S. Ladd will preach at the
M. E. church, March 15th. A quarterly
conference will be held after the preach-
ing service.
A. S. Kimball and H. D. Smith take
the fourteenth degree of Masonry in
Lewiston Lodge of Perfection this Fri-
day evening.
John Woodman is painting and paper-
ing the dining and other rooms at the
Bea's Hotel. George W. Chaney has
charge of the work.
Jamison Finney is running as con-
ductor on the electric cars, in place
of and as relief from G. T. M., in place
of Leroy Keene who is in school.
E. E. Witt went to Augusta Wednes-
day, to attend the hearing before the
judiciary committee on legalizing certain
acts of the Norway assessors of 1902.
Norway Municipal Court.
Monday morning, George Hilburn of
West Paris was tried for a single sale of
intoxicating liquor. Found guilty and
paid fine of \$50 and costs.
The same day, Harry L. Adams and
Joseph A. Allard, who have been work-
ing in Redding, were found guilty of
intoxication. Fined \$5 and costs.
Theodore M. Twitchell and Uria M.
Becker of Sumner were brought in Wed-
nesday afternoon on charge of illegal
possession of deer meat. The statute
has been suspended upon a plea of nolo
contendere, and payment by each of
costs of about \$12.

Subscription Rates.
2 months, 25 cents.
3 months, 35 cents.
4 months, 50 cents.
5 months, 75 cents.
6 months, 1.00.
Annual Town Meeting.
A Large Gathering of Voters—A New
Board of Selectmen Chosen—The Usual
Appropriations Made.
Moderator, A. S. Kimball.
Clerk, G. H. Mason.
Selectmen—Albert J. Stearns, E. E. Witt,
Frank L. Millett.
Road Commissioners—Charles E. Freeman,
Anson J. Millett, Harlan S. Flint.
School committee—George E. Tubbs, Frank
Kimball, John A. Roberts.
Supt. of schools, Chas. P. Barnes.
Treasurer, Henry J. Bangs.
Collector, G. A. Cole; percentage, .015.
Agent, James O. Crooker.
Treasurer, Geo. W. Locke.
Trustees of Norway Public Library—E. F.
Smith, Wm. C. Leavitt.
APPROPRIATED.
Roads and bridges.....\$2,000
Poor bills.....1,000
Common schools.....850
Free high school.....1,000
School houses.....400
Schoolhouse repair.....500
Support of poor.....1,000
Officers bills.....1,000
Debt and interest.....1,500
Memorial day.....500
Library.....500
Insurance.....500
The town meeting, Monday, called out
one of the very largest gatherings of
citizens that have been present at town
meetings for years, the total number of
votes cast being 642.
The meeting was called to order a few
minutes after ten o'clock by town clerk
Charles G. Mason, who read a portion of
the warrant and called for ballots for
moderator. A. S. Kimball was chosen
without opposition and took the chair.
Charles G. Mason was re-elected clerk
without opposition.
Proceeding to the election of select-
men, treasurer, agent, a member of the
school committee, superintendent of
schools, library trustees and tax col-
lector, voted that the selectmen be assessors
and overseers of the poor.
A demand was made for the use of the
check list which demand was sustained
by more than a one-third vote, 87 to 51.
A considerable number of voters followed
and the election officers were kept very
busy. The opposition to the present
administration appeared to be very
marked and by noon the indications
were of a very close vote, which as the
ballots began to be counted furnished
assurance as to the way the vote finally
stood. The vote was declared about
two o'clock as follows:
Selectmen.
A. J. Stearns, rep.....345
E. E. Witt, rep.....353
F. L. Millett, rep.....383
D. S. Sabin, cit.....257
H. M. Jackson, cit.....227
F. F. Towne, cit.....194
Town Agents.
J. O. Crooker, rep.....353
W. F. Jones, cit.....253
Member School Committee.
J. A. Roberts.....325
W. F. Jones, rep.....253
C. P. Barnes, rep.....447
L. J. Sanborn, cit.....152
Treasurer.
Geo. W. Locke, rep.....416
C. W. Dinsmore, cit.....176
Library Committee.
W. C. Leavitt, rep, cit.....623
F. Smith, rep.....203
C. Stephens, cit.....203
H. J. Bangs was re-elected treasurer
without opposition, and Geo. A. Cole,
tax collector, his compensation being 1 1/2
per cent.
The ordinary appropriations were
passed amounting to \$17,200.
The article relative to contingent fund
was passed over.
C. E. Freeman, A. J. Millett and H. S.
Flint were elected road commissioners.
The compensation of road commissioners
was voted at \$1.75 per day.
Salary of superintendent of schools
was voted \$300.
The article regarding re-imbursment
of the overseers of the poor for \$325 paid
by them on the Merrill damage cases
called for a vigorous and extended dis-
cussion. The final action was to pass
over the article relative to moving the
Sodam schoolhouse was passed over,
also the appropriation for the memorial
observances of F. T. Bartlett Command,
S. V. V.
The claim of Henry O. Holden for
taxes paid was left with the selectmen.
The article regarding the private way
and the town way were passed over.
As usual, voted to allow the heirs of
Samuel P. Frost the taxes on condition
of their keeping the road in repair.
Voted that taxes become due Nov. 1.
Voted to charge interest after Jan. 1 at
6 per cent.
Voted to instruct the school committee
to maintain schools in Yaggar, Frost
Hill and Pike Hill districts for the ensu-
ing year.
Adjourned about 5 p. m.
Results of Town Meetings.
GREENWOOD.
Moderator, J. A. Fairbanks.
Clerk, A. C. Libby.
Selectmen—E. W. Penley, L. P. Bryant, H. D.
Cole.
Road commissioner, Geo. G. Cole, jr.
School committee—W. A. Holt, two years;
Mark Lapham, one year; G. W. Coffin, three
years.
Supt. of schools, M. H. Harrington.
Treasurer, Walter B. Rand.
Collector, Charles Richardson; percentage,
.025.
Agent—E. W. Penley.
APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$ 500
Roads and bridges.....1,200
Snow bills.....700
Common schools.....800
Schoolhouse repair.....200
School books.....800
Support of poor.....1,000
Debt and interest.....600
Memorial day.....500
Repairs town farm building.....600
Town officers' bills included in the
appropriation for town charges. State
roads, \$200, to secure \$100 from State;
voted to move the Patch Mountain
schoolhouse, and appropriated \$50 for
same.
BUCKFIELD.
Moderator, C. H. Prince.
Clerk—Alfred Cole.
Selectmen—Merritt Parsons, E. B. Austin, N.
E. Besser.
Road Commissioner—O. G. Turner.
School committee—H. F. Irish, Alfred Cole,
E. B. Austin.
Supt. of schools, Fred A. Robinson.
Treasurer, Ben Spaulding.
Collector, T. S. Bridgman; salary, \$100.
Agent, E. S. Bridgman.
APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$ 500
Roads and bridges.....1,000
Snow bills.....700
Common schools.....800
Free high school.....75
School books.....200
Schoolhouse repair.....1,000
Support of poor.....615
Debt and interest.....25
Memorial Day.....50
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Hard Work by Officers.
Deputies Tucker and Cross Meet with
Difficulties While Bringing a Culpit to
Justice.
Late Tuesday afternoon, Wesley Clem-
ents, who lives on Fair street nearly op-
posite Brown street, was arrested by
deputies Tucker and Cross on a charge
of intoxication. As Mr. Tucker was
taking him to South Paris, the prisoner
jumped from the sleigh and ran back
a member of the family turned the sleigh
about and came back to the house after
him.
During the time that Mr. Tucker was
finding Clements and placing him again
under arrest, the horse ran away and
was nowhere to be found when the offi-
cer came out of the house. He had not
handcuffed the prisoner, who again
seized a favorable opportunity to escape.
Later in the evening Tucker and Cross
again came to the house and searched it
thoroughly. After a long hunt Clements
was discovered inside the bed, upon
a member of the family was lying ap-
parently very sick, which aroused the
officers' suspicions. Upon discovery he
fought very hard and it took vigorous
handling to induce him to go with the
officers.
He was taken to jail and Wednesday
afternoon was found guilty on the charge
of intoxication and resisting officers.
Fines of \$5 and costs on each count were
imposed making a total of \$32.
The members of Co. D. Aid Associa-
tion are requested to meet with Mrs.
Henry Bangs Saturday evening, Mar. 7,
at 7.30, as important business is to trans-
acted.
Mrs. G. Julian Brown has gone to Mi-
nor Corner to visit her sister, Mrs. A. L.
Penley, for a much needed rest. Mrs.
Esther E. Welch is caring for the sick
ones during her absence.
Mina Jewett had an attack of grip
which lasted a couple of weeks, and she
came to Norway and spent a week re-
cuperating. Saturday, she returned to
her work as a nurse in Boston.
Mrs. V. W. Hills spent last week in
New York buying goods for the season's
trade. This week she was joined there
by Mrs. F. E. Drake and Grace Nevers,
who are attending the openings and get-
ting styles.
A meeting of the Norway Federation
of Women's Clubs will be held in Con-
cert Hall, Tuesday evening, March 10th.
Mrs. Emma Dow Armstrong, President
of the State Federation, is expected to
be present.
Charles S. Bartlett of Auburn, son of
Lucius I. Bartlett of this town, success-
fully passed an examination at Augusta,
last week, and has been accepted as a
registered pharmacist. He is working
in Burnham's drug store at New Auburn.
EGG SETTINGS. If you have good bred
hens for setting, please do not advertise
the eggs for hatch in this paper.
The cost is not great—see "Wants, Lost,
and Found" column. The advertiser will
sell you one-inch space four weeks and give
one reading notice for \$1.00.
Write us about it. It ought to pay you.
F. W. SANBORN.
George E. Allen, who for about two
years has been special agent for the Eastern
Telephone Co. and was in Norway a
good share of the time for a year and a
half establishing and superintending the
Norway exchange, has bought a real
estate and insurance agency at Tenant's
Harbor.
Little Miss Rubie Jordan has found
some well developed pussy willows.
She was very much pleased with her
find for it told her that, the spring time
with the out of doors play, warm weath-
er, flowers, singing birds, green grass
and foliage would soon be here.
This Friday evening the members of
Company D go to Auburn as the guests
of C Company of that city. A drill
will be given that evening and the Nor-
way boys will go through an elaborate
fancy drill. The Auburn company will
serve a banquet at the armory.
Rev. Wm. Moore of Kennebunkport,
Grand Worthy Patriarch of Sons of
Temperance, will deliver an address
next Sunday evening at the Congrega-
tional church at 7.15 o'clock. Rev. Mr.
Moore is an earnest, candid speaker and
cannot fail to interest and do good.
Everybody is invited to this service.
Charles H. Adams and wife and Dr. H.
P. Jones and wife went to Mechanic Falls
Monday, to attend the silver wedding of
Andrew W. Bridges and wife. The cele-
bration was Monday evening, and a num-
ber closely approaching two hundred
relatives and friends attended. Among
them were Mr. and Mrs. Lane, Lola Lane
and Henry Adams of West Paris. Mrs.
Bridges is a sister of C. H. Adams.
Wednesday evening, March 11, there
will be a lecture at the Congregational
Church, for the benefit of the Sunday
school. C. H. Warren, of Colby College,
will have an illustrated lecture on Shiel-
Mable Baker Hobbs and at the time
of his death was in his 65th year. By
occupation he was a farmer and lumber-
man and had acquired a competency by
his well directed efforts therein. Mr.
Hobbs was never married and leaves as
his next kin younger brother, Lynn M.
K. Hobbs who lived with him on the
family homestead and towards whom he
has faithfully discharged the double
function of father and brother.
Clara Page is at work in the postoffice.
There is considerable sickness in town
and vicinity and the doctors are busy.
The new church society had a loan
exhibition last Thursday and Friday af-
ternoons with music, etc., in the even-
ings.
No meeting at the Congregational
Church last Sunday as the roads were so
bad the minister could not come from
Conway. Quite a number attended the
New Church and were well paid by lis-
tening to a highly interesting and in-
structive sermon by the pastor, Rev. Mr.
Stone.
LOCKE'S MILLS.
Edith Emery is home from her work
at Bethel, this week.
John Bean, also Belle Brown, were in
Lewiston over Sunday.
R. G. Delano is at Mercer, N. H. where
he has a position as telephone operator.
Mrs. Helen Powers and Mrs. Mary
Bartlett were in Lewiston, the last three
days of last week.
Percy Farnham who is having good
success with his work, for the Keith
Mfg. Co., is canvassing in Bethel this
week.

Paris Town Meeting.
A Largely Attended Assemblage of the
Voters, Monday—Officers Chosen—The
Usual Appropriations Made—A New
High School Building Voted to Cost Not
More than \$8,000.
Moderator, J. S. Wright.
Clerk, W. J. Wheeler.
Selectmen—Franklin Maxim, Jesse C. Howe,
Henry D. Hammond.
Insurance commissioners, selectmen.
School committee—H. Woodbury, F. H. Pack-
ard, Geo. M. Atwood.
Supt. of schools, Alton C. Wheeler.
Treasurer, Frank A. Shurtleff.
Collector, A. H. Jackson; percentage, .015.
Town charges.
Roads and bridges.....\$1,000
Snow bills.....2,500
Common schools.....5,445
Free high school.....1,000
School books.....200
Schoolhouse repair.....525
Support of poor.....1,200
Officers bills.....1,200
Debt and interest.....1,500
Memorial day.....75
Insurance.....40
Miscellaneous.....1,000
The March town meeting, Monday,
was attended by a very large gathering
of citizens representing each section of
the town.
Hon. J. S. Wright was chosen moder-
ator and Wm. J. Wheeler clerk, without
opposition.
The reports of town officers were ac-
cepted as printed, also the reports of the
Crocker and Bray funds.
Franklin Maxim was elected first se-
lectman and Jesse C. Howe second,
without opposition. For third select-
man, Leslie Newell received 105, Henry
D. Hammond 121, and was declared
elected. The selectmen were chosen as-
sessor and overseers of the poor as well.
Frank A. Shurtleff was reelected treas-
urer unanimously; Alfred H. Jackson
collector, with compensation of 1 1/2 per
cent.; George M. Atwood member of the
school committee, and Alton C. Wheeler
superintendent of schools.
It was voted that the selectmen per-
form the duties of the road commission-
er for the year.
The ordinary appropriations were
then passed. It was voted to instruct
the municipal officers not to exceed the
appropriation for any purpose.
An adjournment of an hour was then
taken for dinner.
Business was resumed shortly after 1
o'clock.
Discount on taxes was voted: three
per cent. before June 1, two per cent. be-
fore Aug. 1, and one per cent. before
Nov. 1. Interest at 6 per cent. begins
Jan. 1, 1904.
Voted that the school committee main-
tain schools in the Tubbs, Biscoe, Forbes,
Partridge, Snow's Falls and Whittemore
districts. Voted not to maintain schools
in the Hall and Bolster districts.
In regard to the additional room for
the schools in South Paris, the first propo-
sition to enlarge the brick building,
and the second to tear down the old
building, erecting a new one on the same
lot, were passed over.
A motion was made to erect a new
building on Pine street. A description
of the lot was read. It comprises three
acres. After a thorough discussion, it
was voted to build a new building and
locate it on the proposed lot.
By vote of the town the moderator ap-
pointed the superintending school com-
mittee, with Judge G. A. Wilson and N.
D. Bolster, a building committee, three
men to estimate the cost of building,
lot and furnishings to \$6,000 was made.
This was amended to make the amount
\$8,000, and carried. \$2,000 is to be as-
sessed this year and a similar sum each
year until paid.
Voted that the selectmen secure safe
storage for the town books if the same
can be secured at a reasonable price.
The treasurer was authorized to make
temporary loans as needed.
The moderator was voted \$3.00.
SOUTH PARIS.
Mrs. Maude Sperrin of Auburn is vis-
iting relatives here.
S. P. Maxim is visiting in Bangor,
Hartland and other places.
Hiram Field and son Lester are plan-
ning to move to Sumner.
L. L. Jackson has gone to Deering to
reside with his son James.
Enice Fobes is home on a vacation
from her teaching in Cornish.
Annie Stinchfield of Portland has been
visiting Jessie C. Tolman a few days.
Geo. W. Frothingham has bought the
W. H. Robinson house on Pine street.
Mrs. A. J. Penley is improving after
a severe attack of nerve inflammation.
Guy R. Fox has bought the H. M.
Tucker farm on the Stony brook road.
Jefferson A. Hardy is quite sick. Mrs.
Hardy, who has been sick, has recovered.
H. P. Brett and wife of Beverly,
Mass., are visiting his brother, C. F.
Brett.
Myron W. Maxim has been attending
an automobile show in Boston during
the week past.
Grace Stuart is one of the contestants
in the senior prize speaking at Hebron
Academy, this year.
Mrs. Frank Edwards went to Otisfield
Sunday, called there by the death of her
brother, Oren Wheeling.
Mrs. Herbert C. Ripley and children
go this week to join Mr. Ripley at their
former home in Oklahoma.
Mrs. Paul D. Higgins of Costonig is
visiting her parents, W. M. Shaw and
wife, at the Andrews House.
F. B. Fogg has lost another horse,
which, though left in the night Saturday
night, was found dead in the stall Sun-
day morning.
Mrs. H. E. Wilson assisted the Golden
Cross Lodge at Bryant's Pond in putting
on a minstrel show, which was played
Friday evening.
Mrs. Lydia Rounds has returned from
Turner, where she has been visiting her
daughter, Sue Rounds, a teacher in
Leavitt's Institute.
Ell Swan spent Sunday with his fam-
ily. He is Supreme Deputy of the N. E.
O. P. and has been in Bath a few weeks,
organizing lodges.
Euse Porter and Luella Crockett are
home from Farmington Normal school
on vacation, Luella Hayden, a student
there, is visiting here.
Geo. E. Ham and B. Y. Russell visited
Saturday pond, Otisfield, and got five
pickers. They intended to have fished
Moore pond. It was too long a tramp
through the snow to go there.

South Paris Village Corporation.
Moderator, Clayton K. Brooks.
Clerk, E. N. Haskell.
Assessors—A. W. Walker, O. E. Barrows, P.
E. Wheeler.
Treasurer, F. A. Shurtleff.
Collector, A. H. Jackson; percentage, .015.
Chief Engineer, A. E. Shurtleff.
1st Assistant, W. A. Porter.
2d Assistant, P. M. Walker.
APPROPRIATIONS.
Taxes.....\$ 75
Town clock.....12
Fire department.....175
Ward and hydrant rental.....350
Miscellaneous bills.....150
The annual meeting of the village cor-
poration was held, Tuesday evening, at
Engine House Hall. Fifty to sixty citi-
zens were present.
E. N. Haskell called the meeting to
order and read the warrant for meeting.
Clayton K. Brooks was elected moder-
ator.
The reports of the assessors, chief en-
gineer and treasurer were accepted as
printed. The report of Grace Thayer of
the head fund was read and accepted.
E. N. Haskell was re-elected clerk unan-
imously. A. W. Walker was chosen first
assessor on the fourth ballot, O. E. Bar-
rows, second assessor on the first ballot,
P. E. Wheeler, third assessor on the
second ballot. Frank A. Shurtleff was
re-elected treasurer without opposi-
tion. A. H. Jackson was chosen tax col-
lector with a compensation of .015.
W. A. Porter was elected chief engi-
neer of the fire department. He decided
not to serve and A. E. Shurtleff was
chosen. W. A. Porter was elected first
assistant and P. M. Walker, second.
Appropriations were made according
to the recommendations of the assessors.
The appropriation for street lights was
passed over.
Voted that taxes become due, Jan. 1,
1904; that interest at six per cent. be
charged after that date. A discount of
three per cent. is made on taxes paid be-
fore June 1, two per cent. before Aug. 1,
and one per cent. before Nov. 1.
Voted that the expenses of the com-
mittee on electric lights be paid from the
unexpended appropriation of last
year for street lights.
The committee on water investigation
was called on for report but the chair-
man was absent and no report was sub-
mitted.
The International Bazaar will be open-
ed Wednesday next week and continue
Thursday at New Hall, for the benefit of
the Universalist church.
Mrs. Susan F. Whitmore of Bowdoin
has been spending the winter
with her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Pottle,
returns home this week.
The Oxford Club of Methodist Minis-
ters meets with A. W. Pottle and wife
next Monday. This is the last meeting
of the present conference year.
Blanche Dean, having finished her
term of employment with the Oxford
Light Co. at the Norway office, has gone
to Gilead, working in J. W. Bennett's of-
fice.
Mrs. Addie Campbell came from
North Auburn Friday to see her sister,
Mrs. Russell Edwards, who is quite sick
but is considerably improved within the
past few days.
Rev. William Moore of Kennebunk
will preach at the Methodist church next
Sunday morning. He represents the or-
der of Sons of Temperance. The text
will be Matt. 9:3, "He saw a man."
Bessie C. Ripley was given a surprise
party by her class-mates of the senior
class, F. H. S., Thursday evening last
week. She was presented with a hand-
some copy of Longfellow's poems. She
goes to her old home in Oklahoma this
week.
Herbert M. Tucker, who formerly liv-
ed here, terminates his term as superin-
tendent of the farm at the Durham (N.
H.) State experiment station, April 1.
He is then to take charge of a country
place of a wealthy Boston merchant on
Pigeon Hill in Oxford.
There was a goodly gathering at the
supper at the Methodist church, last
Thursday evening. A short but excel-
lent entertainment was presented, in-
cluding violin selections by Grace Dean
and Sara Swift, readings by Fessie Stan-
ard, Ruth Stuart and Donald Skillings,
and a vocal solo by Mrs. Maurice Noyes.
J. P. Richardson has had the office of
his store repainted.
Olive Sweet is home from Farmington
Normal school for vacation.
Mrs. C. E. Tolman has been quite sick
but is improving in health now.
A drama "Messmates" is given by the
high school pupils at New Hall, this
Friday evening.
The court house is being thoroughly
cleaned this week so that it will shine
when court sets.
Annual meeting of Sumner & Paris
Telephone Company is at the Forbes
schoolhouse, Saturday.
Three were given the right hand of
fellowship at the communion service,
Sunday, at the Baptist church.
N. D. Bolster, J. S. Wright and J. H.
Bean were in Augusta, Tuesday, at the
hearing on the municipal lighting bill.
It is expected that the Mason Manu-
facturing Co. will commence work next
Monday at their factory in the lower end
of the exist mill.
B. Y. Russell, G. W. Richards, E. L.
Parlin and Frank Pingree recently were
fishing on Saturday pond in Otisfield and
caught some 80 pickers.
A new building is to be added to the
large number now used by the Paris
Manufacturing Company. It will be a
saw mill and work begins on it as soon
as may be in the spring.
Mrs. E. A. Howe and Grace Demotte
go to Boston the latter part of next
week to get the spring millinery styles
and goods. Master Henry Howe will
visit his uncle in Waltham, Mass., at the
same time.
The plans for the new high school
building call for a structure 65x80 feet.
Three class rooms and a laboratory to
occupy the first floor together with some
small rooms. The second floor will con-
tain an assembly hall.
The Bach Musical Club will hold the
meetings for the rest of the season in
Golden Cross hall. The number of mem-
bers attending is getting too large to be
accommodated at private houses. The
club numbers nearly fifty and is growing.
Mount Mica Lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F.,
observe ladies' night, this Thursday
evening. Odd Fellows, their ladies and
the Rebekah Lodge attend and will
spend a very enjoyable evening. A sup-
per will be served and an entertainment
furnished.
The Baptist Y. P. S. C. E. had a busi-
ness meeting at the close of the prayer
meeting, Tuesday evening. Officers were
chosen as follows:
Pres.—Clarence Morton.
V. Pres.—Maurice Morton.
Sec.—Grace DeMotte.
Trans.—Alfred Marston.
Cor. Sec.—Geo. Haskell.
Chairman of Committees—
Lockout—Louis Fox.
Missionary—Luella Field.
Flower—Mrs. Frank Taylor.
Social—Mrs. E. A. Howe.
Prayermeeting—Edwin March.

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Coming Events.

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Supreme Judicial Court.

The March term of the Supreme Judicial Court will begin next Tuesday, the 10th. Hon. Albert M. Spear of Gardiner will be the presiding justice. The grand jury impaneled at the October term will serve at this term and traverse jurors have been returned as follows:

Elmer A. Blake, Brownfield.
Melva A. Charles, Lovell.
John J. Holman, Oxford.
Eugene O. French, Norway.
Moses E. Kimball, Norway.
Fred S. Smith, Andover.
Lori McAllister, Stoneham.
Allen J. Reed, Mexico.
Wm. A. Farwell, Bethel.
Eben S. Kilborn, Bethel.
Elmer E. Roberts, Sumner.
Solon A. Coffin, Gilsum.
O. G. Pratt, Paris.
Geo. F. Farnum, Paris.
Frank H. Prentiss, Porter.
Chas. G. K. L. W. Hartford.
Fred J. McEwen, Rumford.
Fred H. Carroll, Rumford.
Freeman L. Wyman, Woodstock.
Mellen T. Deane, Paris.
Herman D. Harden, Fryeburg.
J. E. Stuart, Hiram.
Justin B. McKim, Rockfield.
Oscar E. Turner, Hartford.

Four towns have not yet returned their venues.
Indications do not point to a very long and hard work term.

The temperance meeting will be Wednesday evening, March 11, at 7.30, and Rev. Wm. Moore, Grand Worthy Patriarch of the Sons of Temperance of Maine, will lecture on the subject: "Why are intoxicating liquors sold in Maine?"

Clarence E. Storer has been appointed postmaster at West Poland.

The Maine Conference of the "Methodist Episcopal church will be held in Bridgton, commencing Wednesday, April 15. Bishop E. G. Andrews of New York will preside.

Daniel S. Davis and wife, who have carried on the Waterford town farm for several years past, close their labors there the first of next month. In another column the selectmen are advertising for a man and wife to take their places. See ad.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Got into Deep Snow.

Fred Muller while getting wood with a horse got him into the deep snow and got him so fastened down that it was impossible to extricate him without help. Several men and horses worked some time on him but he died before they could get him out of the drifts. The horse was not a valuable one.

E. P. Kimball was in Norway last week.

B. H. Pike has about finished his work on the Blackguard lot.

E. R. Longley is at work for Charles Brigham cutting cord wood.

John Clark and family of Sweden are stopping at E. G. Emerson's.

E. P. Kimball, Supt. of Beech Hill Mining Co., has sold two or three lots of graded mica to parties in New Hampshire.

The recent thaw settled the snow a great deal so there is comparatively but little. Another like it would about spoil the sledding.

PARIS HILL.

Dr. Emily Titus and her friend, Miss Tappen, are at the Hubbard House.

Mrs. J. M. Quimby and two sons of Newton, Mass., are visiting at Mrs. Marble's.

Mrs. Ellroy Russell of Sumner has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Susan York.

Hon. H. R. Hubbard and Mrs. Hubbard came home from Augusta, last Friday. Mr. Hubbard remained until after town meeting.

Thomas Hollis and family of Sumner were at Paris, last Friday, visiting Mr. Hollis' grandfather, Mr. Fletcher, who is spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. A. G. Parlin.

The Baptist ladies' circle gave a supper and entertainment, last Friday evening. Supper was served at 6 o'clock followed by readings by Misses Garland, Newell and Ryerson, and H. E. Hammond; and the drama, Aunt Tabitha's Perplexities, which created lots of fun by the odd situations and Aunt Tabitha's anxiety to captivate the young doctor.

EAST STONEHAM.

Mrs. Hattie Parker is sick with tonsillitis.

Edith Meserve of Lovell has been assisting Mrs. Merrill for a few days.

Maurice Bicknell has recovered from his recent illness and is so to go out.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Bartlett has been sick for the past two weeks.

Albert Littlefield has had his mare, Belladonna, mercifully slain. She was lame and no chance for recovery.

The ladies of the circle prepared a dinner, Monday, for the men attending town meeting who live at a distance.

Mrs. Georgie Littlefield has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Putnam, for a few days, past and returned home, Sunday.

The recent rain and mild weather lowered the snow considerably but there seems to be enough left. There has been a good deal of labor done to keep the roads passable the past winter.

SNOW'S FALLS.

Robert S. Benson came home from Brunswick, Saturday, returning on Tuesday morning.

There is to be a meeting of the stockholders of the Linn Mfg Co., Tuesday, March 3d.

John E. Wood returned from Boston, Saturday. He was accompanied by his son, Fred J. Wood, who is here for a few days from Willimantic, Conn.

EAST FRYEBURG.

William Brown.

After a long illness Wm. Brown passed away to the land unknown. He went to sleep and never waked. He lay in the sleep over 24 hours and died on Friday, Feb. 27. He was about 75 years old. He leaves a wife and six children, three sons and three daughters.

Henry Lord has finished his teaming. Mrs. Abbie Libby has purchased a horse this spring.

A Mrs. Thoms is assisting Mrs. Wm Brown in doing her work.

B. G. Seavey and wife visited at Wm. Holt's, one day last week.

Elmer Harnden sold three cows to Weston & Meserve, last week.

Cora Potter of Fryeburg village is at work for Mrs. Julia Penfold.

Edith and Iza Kenerson visited their father at his logging camp, last week.

Master Percival Kenerson is stopping with his grandparents, B. G. Seavey and wife.

Mrs. L. S. Harnden is on the sick list and was not able to attend the funeral of her father, Wm. Brown.

Fred Kenerson returned home last Sunday with his entire crew from his logging at North Lovell.

Clarence Wiley of the village was in this place last Friday, fixing up the telephone wires and machines.

Mrs. C. H. Howard called on Nellie Cole, last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. A. J. McIntire spent the afternoon with Mrs. Albert Chaboureaux.

Hiram K. Hobbs is very sick with pneumonia. He has had two doctors. He has a trained nurse caring for him. His recovery is very doubtful.

WEST BETHEL.

Harry Mills was at his home over Sunday.

Ethel Allen visited friends at Bethel last week.

E. Payson Philbrook went to Auburn last week on business.

Allen McLeod went to Rumford on a business trip last week.

H. P. Dennison and J. F. Guptil have put in their ice for summer use.

The little baby of A. J. Haskell that has been sick, is now improving.

The village mill is not running this Monday account of town meeting.

Mrs. G. W. Harden has been visiting her daughter, Bessie Martin at Bethel.

Millie Morrill and Blanche Luxton from the Flat were in the village last Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Briggs of Albany visited her sister Minnie at Addison Beau's, one day last week.

The lady and daughter who have been with Mrs. L. E. Bean, went away this Monday morning.

Vivian and Walter Rollins of Bethel attended the show at Bell's Hall Tuesday last week.

J. E. Pike keeps a good supply of fish, oysters and sausages in addition to his groceries and other goods at his store.

Marion Morrill was in this village one day last week canvassing for a paper and made us a call. She is a smart girl of her age.

John B. Murry is making some fine baskets and has several begun which he will finish in the near future. He does good work.

Millie Morrill attends meeting in this village nearly every Sunday walking both ways over two miles making four miles travel.

Mrs. J. F. Guptil, who has been sick at the hotel, is better and we are glad to see her in her old place as landlady. She is an excellent cook.

E. P. Farwell, wife and daughter of Everett, Mass., have come to live on the farm which they bought last fall in Gilsum where they intend to make their future home.

Business has been lively the past few weeks in and around this village and no doubt will continue so as long as sledding lasts. Teams come from all directions hauling wood and lumber to the station and mill.

J. E. Pike passed his 58th birthday last Sunday, Mar. 1. It was a sad day for him as his mind turned back just 25 years ago that morning when the future looked bright for a happy life and to think now of the loss he has met with and the lonesome situation in which he has been left.

MILTON PLANTATION.

Elmer Lapham, who has been sick, is able to be out.

E. A. Farnum has a number of teams hauling lumber for him.

Lewis Farnum has his spruce hauled from the Doughty place.

A wife of Foster has been visiting friends in Buckfield the past week.

Alice Cole is visiting her sister, Mrs. Daphne Rowe at Redding.

NORWAY LAKE.

V. L. Partridge visited friends in Auburn recently.

Evelyn Partridge is in Portland attending Shaw's Business College.

Miss S. P. Newhall's nephew, Ross Grant of New Orleans is visiting her a few weeks.

Virgil Flood returned Saturday from Rumford where he has been at work during the winter.

Leola Noyes came from her home in Lovell Tuesday for her grandfather's, J. L. Partridge's, to attend the spring term of high school.

At the last meeting of the Norway Lake Woman's club at Mrs. F. Fottler's, the president, Mrs. Christine Stephens and daughter Janet of Norway were present. Cake and coffee were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Miss E. M. Partridge, Mar. 11.

WEST MINOT.

The sick are all on the gain.

Alton Howard of Auburn spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. S. Howard.

Mrs. Kidder returned to her home in Canton Saturday.

S. J. Whittemore and Marton Rowe were in Boston last week.

Mrs. Celia Tubbs of Hebron visited her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Allen, Thursday.

Mrs. Victoria Barrows of Hebron was the guest of the Barrows sisters on Friday.

Lamon Allen returned from Lynn, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellar, who have been visiting their uncle, L. P. York, returned to their home in Providence, R. I., Wednesday.

Thursday evening, Elva Dimock entertained three tables at whist.

A large delegation of West Minot Grange spent Wednesday with Center Minot Grange and had a fine time.

BETHEL.

Prize Speaking.

The annual prize speaking by the students of Gould Academy took place Friday evening at Odeon Hall. A large audience was present and a high average of scores was shown in the speaking. The judges were Rev. C. R. Flagg, Berlin, N. H.; Principal V. M. Whitman, Norway; Florence H. Parris, Oxford. The first prizes were awarded to Margaret K. Whidden and Victor M. Gehring, respectively; and the second prizes to Maud A. Davis and Lester H. Bear, respectively. The vocal duet by Messrs. Carter and Hutchins was well received, and a hearty encore accorded them. The other musical selections were finely rendered. The speakers and selections were as follows:

The Eloquence of O'Connell—Wendell Phillips
The Fight with the Aurochs—Henry Sienkiewicz
The Three Loves—Wm. Cullen Bryant
The Second Train—K. M. Rogers
A Self Made Merchant's Advice to his Son—George Washington
Wee Willie Winkie—Rudyard Kipling
Old Willie—David Barker
Death of Eva—Harriet Beecher Stowe
A Violin Phantasm—Florence Skillings
Tussock Davenport—Harry W. Purinton
Heart of Old Hickory—John M. Arnold
Execution of Sidney Carton—Charles Dickens
Bessie F. Stanley

GROVER HILL.

John Ring visited at Greenwood City recently.

Marion Bennett is expected home from Mechanic Falls soon.

Minnie G. Mayberry visited at W. H. Hutchinson's a short time since.

Martin B. Whitney of Lancaster, N. H., visited friends here last week.

Mrs. A. L. Whitman has completed her labors and returned to her family.

Mrs. Edna Yates, Mrs. Susie Whitman and little Florence Julia returned to Greenwood last Saturday.

Pearl Whitman and Lendall Yates have completed their teaming here and went home to Greenwood Monday.

BRYANT'S POND.

Clara Bryant is still in poor health.

Albert Felt went to South Paris, last Tuesday.

G. L. Cushman and R. C. Davis went to Portland, Saturday on business.

The Ladies Aid did very well on their oyster supper, Saturday evening.

Andrew Hill moved his family into the Charles Hill rent, last Tuesday.

Lena Felt came home Saturday and returned to West Poland on Tuesday.

A large number of Franklin Grange attended Pomona at West Paris on Tuesday.

Charles Swan's family are staying at Jerry Farrar's, since they were burned out.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilbon Parham came home from Lynn, last Saturday. We are glad to have them with us again.

The Grange did quite nicely on their dinner, town meeting day. The proceeds are to buy books for their library.

Mrs. Stella Bacch was chosen Superintending School committee for this town. She is well qualified to fill the position.

Ross Dunn is moving his family to Rhode Island.

Emma Davis is visiting her brother, Ben Davis, at West Paris.

Herman Billings is drawing hay out from his farm on Billings Hill, and selling some at Bryant's Pond.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Edwin L. Haskell.

Edwin L. Haskell, formerly of Harrison, died at his home in Brookton, Mass., Friday, Feb. 20th, and was brought to his old home, where funeral services were held the following Monday. His body was attended by his wife and youngest daughter also Mr. and Mrs. E. Hodgeman of Medford, Mass. The interment was in South Waterford cemetery. The deceased leaves a wife, two daughters, Mrs. A. E. Fottler and Nina, an aged mother, a brother, G. A. Haskell, who lives on the home place, and a sister, Mrs. D. E. Caswell.

WEST LOVELL.

James M. Fox.

James M. Fox died Feb. 25, of general debility, 75 years and six months. Mr. Fox was the last of sixteen children and was born in Porter. He has been living with his nephew, John A. Fox, about fourteen years where he has been kindly cared for. He has been in poor health for several years but he has been confined to his bed only two and one half days. Mr. Fox was unmarried. His nearest relatives being nephews and nieces. Funeral services by Rev. Mr. Grindell of Lovell.

Mandel Lebaron has returned from Sebago where he has been logging.

NORTH NEWBY.

Carrie Mae Wight went to Bethel, Feb. 27th.

W. D. Kilgore went to Gratton one day last week.

H. Wight is sawing pulp wood for J. C. Thompson.

Mabel Wells returned home from Bethel Saturday.

A thaw has made the roads, in this part of the town almost impassable.

Ressie Thompson, who has been quite sick for a few weeks, is again able to work.

Mrs. Horatio Wight has been quite sick the past week with a bad cold and cough.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Frank Parsons is quite sick with the grip.

Ora Wakefield went to Portland on the 3d to attend Gray's Business College.

Henry Hill of Brownfield was lately in the place caring for his uncle, who was sick.

Mrs. Lorenzo Mills and Mrs. John Garland, both living in the same house, were quite sick last week. They thought it was the grip that called on them.

Jesse Meader, who has been in Brownfield to work for H. E. Cook, has finished for him and is in the place visiting his brother Randall, who is working for Almon Wiley.

SOUTHEAST BETHEL.

Bennett Morse was at Perley Bartlett's through the recent rain. Sherman Cummings is at Perley Bartlett's this winter, doing chores. He is a faithful boy of 12 years.

F. L. Walker of Oxford has a fancy strain of Barred Plymouth Rocks and is selling eggs for hatching. Price \$1.00 and \$2.00 per setting. In one pen he has birds that scored 90 points at the Lewiston show. See ad. in another column.

WEST FRYEBURG.

Paralyzed by an Accident.

The relatives and friends of Hosea R. Allen, formerly of Hiram, but now of Lockeford, Cal., were pained to hear of a sad accident which befell him Feb. 13. The Lord sent him the following: "H. R. Allen of Lockeford was seriously injured on Friday night last by an accident, which resulted in complete paralysis. Mr. Allen and his son were driving down an alley after dark, when a sagged wire from a tree to a blacksmith's shop caught him across the chest and threw him backward from the wagon to the ground. Physicians were called and it was found that he was totally paralyzed but able to speak. His age and general health is such as to make his recovery doubtful."

Mrs. Kate Libby, who has been a guest at S. O. Wiley's, returned to North Fryeburg, Feb. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fessenden from Brownfield were recent guests at Mr. F's cousin's, Mrs. A. S. Farrington's.

The recent rain and accompanying thaw have made the roads in a bad condition. A great depth of snow and deep drifts have made some places almost impassable.

B. Walker McKean and his men are sawing the wood piles in this section with his gasoline engine. Leroy Hill and men are also in the neighborhood sawing with his steam engine.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Wiley entertained a large company of friends at their home, Feb. 26th. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley intend to leave this vicinity about the middle of March. They will be greatly missed and we hope what is our loss will be others' gain.

Seth Stevens, formerly of this section but for many years a resident of Minneapolis, accompanied by his son are guests of Mrs. Sarah N. Stevens. Mr. Stevens is a brother of Mrs. Mary Stevens, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Chandler, at North Chatham.

John Calvin Harriman, a life long resident of the Menotomy neighborhood and highly esteemed by all his townsmen, died on Saturday, Feb. 28th, at his home after an illness of several weeks at the advanced age of 82 years. He is survived by a son, J. C. Harriman, of whose family he was a member for some years past.

NORWAY CENTER.

April 8th the men are to entertain the circle and as they always outdo the ladies we expect a large crowd, even more than last week, when eighty-three partook of dinner and had enough left over to send a big basket full to a needy family.

The Endeavor Society are to have a box supper at Herbert Hobbs', this Thursday night. One feature of the entertainment will be singing by the children led by Mr. Monroe. He had them sing several fine little songs at the circle at the chapel last week.

March came neither as a lamb nor a roaring lion but more like a lion asleep ready to awake with the first breath of the north wind. Saturday it rained, yes it poured part of the day and settled the snow nearly one-half in the fields and woods. Just at dusk the clouds all disappeared almost like a flash of lightning and the sky was as clear as a bell. Sabbath morning the mercury was only down to the freezing point but before night the roads were quite hard frozen and Monday it was fine sleighing, the best for the winter.

ALBANY.

Mrs. Maude M. Bean went to Lewiston Saturday returning Monday.

Perry and Nina Beaudou returned home from attending school at Gould Academy for a vacation of two weeks.

Mrs. Phoebe Atkins died at San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 10, of pneumonia. She was sick but a few days. The early part of her life was spent in Albany. She leaves many friends to mourn her death.

The Y. P. S. C. E. have chosen the following officers for the next six months: Pres.—Mrs. Amelia Grover.
V. Pres.—Vallace Cummings.
Rec. Sec.—Herbert L. Bean.
Treas.—Mrs. Maude M. Bean.

CASCO.

E. A. Barton is on the sick list.

Mrs. George Nutting is on the sick list.

Mrs. Albert Owen is at her father's, Hall Edwards'.

Louisa Edwards has gone to South Windham to work.

Hazel Edwards from Poland is visiting at George Burgess'.

Owen Atkins of Windham called on friends in this place on the 1st.

George F. Edwards, who has been working at West Poland, has returned home.

Maud Burgess, who has been home the past week, will return to Auburn this week.

The rain of Feb. 28th settled the snow to quite an extent. Travel is almost suspended.

There is much sickness in this and adjoining towns and the doctors are kept busy day and night.

R. P. Barton of Raymond was called home March 1st, by the illness of his father, E. A. Barton.

Hattie Edwards was obliged to leave school. She is suffering with a bad cold at her home in this place.

Mrs. Margaret McLellan, an aged lady who lives in the edge of Raymond, dislocated her hip on the 24th of February. Physicians have made her as comfortable as they could.

Annual Town Reports.

ANDOVER.—Valuation, \$200,581; assessed \$4,507.03; tax rate .019. Polls taxed 232 at \$3 each. Common schools, \$1,433.34; free high school, \$841; repairs, \$118.03; school books, \$155.52; support of poor, \$140.14; cemetery, \$475.22; roads and bridges, \$1,319.02; miscellaneous, \$641.98. Resources, \$1,157.70; liabilities, \$2,320.29; cash on hand, \$5.96.

OXFORD.

Modern Woodmen.
Thursday evening the order of the Modern Woodmen at Oxford gave an entertainment and ball to their friends, which was liberally patronized. This closed their annual fair and sale, which has been in progress two days. A special feature of the program Thursday evening were solos, vocal, and three numbers by a male quartet. On Wednesday evening the three act drama, entitled, "The Rio Grande," was presented before a crowded house. The receipts amounted to \$45.

At the close of the sale Thursday the booths were cleaned of stock and furniture. The receipts for the sale were over \$50 making a handsome profit for the entire affair. The ball was followed by a supper.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baxter are improving. Mr. Chapman is working for Charles Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley French visited friends in Newville Sunday.

Thomas Conlton and Eliza Bowie went to New York on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Greenleaf of Otisfield were in town on business Friday.

Mr. Will Thomas of East Oxford spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Clara Hanson.

The Robinson Manufacturing Co., closed the mill Monday that all might attend town meeting.

Jesse Martin has a fine situation in a manufacturing and hair dressing establishment in Providence, R. I.

Cephas Carey has been working in South Paris as back again in his former place at the woolen mill.

Mrs. Albert Wells and son Walter, and Margaret Walker spent last week with Mrs. Charles Smith of Minot.

The Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church met with Mrs. Geo. Hagen last Thursday and made up a web of sheeting for the family of Loren Bowen.

C. H. Warren of Colby College will deliver an illustrated lecture on Sheldon's book, "In His Steps," at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, Mar. 10, at 7:30. There will be a large number of moving pictures.

BUCKFIELD.

Can This Be Beaten?
Yes, we had a real old-fashioned town meeting, Monday. A new board all through of selectmen. Humorous excitement ran high, runners shouting their favorite candidates and every man on the move made a ludicrous spectacle. The Justice Merritt Parsons, 80 years of age, after three ballottings, was chosen first selectman. Can this be beaten in the state for age?

The G. A. R. and families are to dine at G. A. R. hall, April 14.

F. A. Robinson has been visiting friends in Portland recently.

Mrs. Minerva Allen of South Boston is visiting her parents, Asa Atwood and wife.

Harry Record, who has recently had a severe attack of indigestion, has come around all right.

Mrs. William Cushman of Hartford, well and favorably known in this village, passed away Feb. 28. The funeral was attended by Rev. W. W. Hooper, Tuesday.

EAST HEBRON.

A Sore Cure.
Rescoe Harlow has had a hard time with chilblains all winter and his feet are in bad condition at present. Very many have just commenced holding their feet over a wood fire when burning say it is a sure cure.

There are still many sick ones around here.

Silas Dunbar is working for John Bailey.

Geo. McKenney is cutting pulp wood for Herbert Record.

Mrs. Jennie Record was in the place last Saturday and Sunday.

Herbert Record and John Freeman went to Thompson pond on a fishing trip Friday.

Farmers are rushing their apples into the market. Many say that last year's apples are not keeping in fine order for sale.

School closed last Saturday. The storms have been so frequent and traveling so poor that two of three families did not send their children to school as they were using their teams for work, thus making a smaller school.

Rena Pierce, a smart little school girl, harnesses her shepherd pup, six months old, to her hand sled and rides to school every morning. The dog acts as if he was of great account and does his part bravely. They attract more attention than the first automobile did that passed through here last year.

DENMARK.

Fred Sanborn had a sick horse last week.

Our sick list is large. Samuel McKusick and A. Pingree are very sick.

The D. of R. were to give an entertainment the 2d but it is postponed to March 6th.

The members of the Grange went to Brownfield, the 24th, and report a fine time including supper and entertainment.

Circle at Will Allen's, the 25th, was a success as a large number were present and a nice supper and a social time with old friends and neighbors.

Mrs. F. Witham and Cora Jordan have been to Hiram.

Mrs. Ella Berry of East Denmark visited A. H. Witham recently.

S. D. McKusick is very sick and it is feared that he may not recover.

J. F. Berry drew a cord of dry hard wood to Hiram last Friday and got \$5 for it.

Mrs. Emily Ingalls is on the sick list and says Emily Berry is in poor health and seems to be failing.

Edgar McAllister of Lovell was in town last week Monday and stayed over night with A. H. Witham.

Our successful fisherman, Mr. Adriel Whales, brought your humble scribe a good mess of fish last week and they just delicious.

Madge and Florence Merryfield of Sebago called on us as they were returning from a call on their sister, Mrs. Hartford in Hiram.

Geo. Albert the little son of George Albert and Fannie Hill, who has been ill with pneumonia for three weeks, died Saturday, Feb. 28, aged 5 years and 2 months. Funeral services Monday afternoon. Burial in South Road cemetery.

Results of Town Meetings.

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HARRISON.
Moderator, Geo. S. Pitts.
Selectmen—Geo. L. Cummings, Andrew B. Johnson, C. W. May, W. W. May, W. W. May.
School committee—C. M. Chute, C. B. Sylvester, M. D. J. Blake, M. D.
Supt. of schools, Alphonse Moulton.
Treasurer, Albert S. Pitts.
Collector, James H. Stone; percentage, .014.
Agent, Geo. H. Cummings.
Co-stable—J. H. Stone, H. W. Cutler, Silas C. Pitts.
Trust officers—J. H. Stone, H. W. Cutler, Silas C. Pitts.

APPROPRIATED.
Town charges and support of poor.....\$1,200
Roads and bridges.....1,200
Common schools.....1,200
School books.....1,200
Schoolhouse repair.....1,200
Debt and interest.....1,200
Memorial day.....1,200

LOVELL.
Moderator, C. K. Chapman.
Clerk, F. G. Walker.
Selectmen—Barney Walker, W. S. Fox, L. E. McAllister.
Road commissioner, F. C. Walker.
School committee—C. K. Chapman, W. O. Brown, G. H. Eastman.
Supt. of schools, C. W. Walker.
Treasurer, Seth F. Heald.
Percentage, .01.

APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$1,000
Roads and bridges.....1,000
Common schools.....1,000
School books.....1,000
Schoolhouse repair.....1,000

STONEHAM.
Moderator, S. A. Stearns.
Clerk, J. A. Bartlett.
Selectmen—Jonathan Bartlett, Herbert M. Adams, Fred L. McKee.
Road commissioner, Simon Grover.
School committee—J. C. Files, H. B. McKee, J. A. Bartlett.
Supt. of schools, Fred H. Bartlett.
Treasurer, Arthur F. Moody.
Collector, V. H. Littlefield; percentage, .01.

APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$1,500
Roads and bridges.....1,500
Common schools.....1,500
School books.....1,500
Schoolhouse repair.....1,500
Debt and interest.....1,500
Memorial day.....1,500
From surplus fund.....1,500

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Collector, E. R. Bachelder; percentage, .01.
Agent, Francis A. Fox.
Auditor, Roy Lord.

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Town charges.....\$1,000
Roads and bridges.....1,000
Common schools.....1,000
School books.....1,000
Schoolhouse repair.....1,000
Debt and interest.....1,000
Memorial day.....1,000

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Collector, W. S. Leavitt; percentage, .028.
Agent, W. S. Leavitt.

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Town charges.....\$200
Roads and bridges.....200
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School books.....200
Schoolhouse repair.....200
Debt and interest.....200
Memorial day.....200

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Clerk, Edwin Hutchinson.
Selectmen—Ervin Hutchinson, Arthur H. Morrill, Alpheus G. Lovell.
Road commissioner, E. H. Morrill.
School committee—A. F. Morrill, 1 year; E. H. Morrill, 2 years; Eli A. Grover, 3 years.
Supt. of schools, Mrs. Fannie S. Tyler.
Treasurer, F. I. Bean.
Collector, Fletcher I. Bean.
Agent, Fletcher I. Bean.

APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$100
Roads and bridges.....100
Common schools.....100
School books.....100
Schoolhouse repair.....100
Debt and interest.....100
Memorial day.....100

HANOVER.
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Clerk, A. G. Howe.
Selectmen—A. T. Powers, J. R. Howard, E. P. Smith.
Road commissioner, M. A. Holt.
School committee—M. A. Holt, George L. Smith, Mrs. J. D. Kimball.
Supt. of schools, H. E. Dyer.
Collector, L. R. Howe.
Agent, A. T. Powers.

APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$75
Roads and bridges.....75
Common schools.....75
School books.....75
Schoolhouse repair.....75
Debt and interest.....75
Memorial day.....75

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Road commissioner, Chas. T. Poor.
School committee—F. P. Thomas, John F. Talbot, N. D. Akers.
Treasurer, L. M. Hovey.
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APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$500
Roads and bridges.....500
Common schools.....500
School books.....500
Schoolhouse repair.....500
Debt and interest.....500
Memorial day.....500

FIREBURG.

Moderator, B. W. McKee.
Clerk, Norman Clark.
Selectmen—Wm. Gordon, H. D. Hutchins, E. E. Suzzell.
Road commissioner, F. A. Holt.
Supt. of schools, B. W. McKee.
Treasurer, F. J. Merrill.
Collector, T. L. Cummings; percentage, .01.
Agent, F. J. Merrill.

APPROPRIATED.
Roads, bridges and snow bills.....\$3,200
Common schools.....2,000
Support of poor.....1,000
Debt and interest.....2,000
Memorial day.....200
New schoolhouse, North Fryeburg, \$1,500.

It was voted to convey the stone schoolhouse in district No. 1 to the Woman's Club of this village for a nominal sum, the building to be used for a library. Voted to sell the old schoolhouse near the Academy to the highest bidder.

There was quite a spirited discussion over the question of liquor agency and on a ballot being taken it was decided to discontinue the agency by a vote of nearly two to one. Interesting and well applauded remarks in opposition to the agency were made by Samson Charles, E. G. Chase, E. W. Burbank, Rev. Mr. Doughty and Will Hatch.

OXFORD.
Moderator, A. S. Fuller.
Clerk, Roscoe F. Staples.
Selectmen—C. F. Mayberry, E. L. Burns, G. L. Wilder.
Road commissioner, C. F. Wardwell.
Supt. of schools, E. D. Burdell, G. F. Parrott, J. F. Fuller.
Supt. of schools, Rev. A. A. Callaghan.
Treasurer, Roscoe F. Staples.
Agent, Geo. Hazen.
Auditor, H. H. Hall.

APPROPRIATED.
Roads and bridges.....\$2,500
Common schools.....1,200
Free high school.....1,000
School books.....500
Support of poor.....500
Officers' bills.....1,000
Debt and interest.....1,000
Contingent fund.....1,000
State road.....200
Memorial day.....100
From surplus fund.....100
School books.....100
State road.....100
Cutting bushes on highway.....80

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APPROPRIATED.
Town charges.....\$1,000
Roads and bridges.....1,000
Common schools.....1,000
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Schoolhouse repair.....1,000
Debt and interest.....1,000
Memorial day.....1,000

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NORTH BRIDGTON.

The town school closed Feb. 20. Chas. Wells has gone to Boston. Rev. Mr. Lane preached here Sunday. Annis Stone was home from Watford Sunday.

Geo. H. Richardson is cutting wood for C. W. Hill.

Mrs. Chas. Gould is at Hiram caring for her sick sister.

There will be a baked bean supper at the vestry Wednesday, Mar. 4.

Mrs. L. S. Monk was visited by her sister, Geo. Wheeler, last Sunday.

NOTICE

The Selectmen will be in session at the Assessors' office every Saturday afternoon from 1 to 3 o'clock, until further notice, to attend to town business.
March 4, 1903.

SELECTMEN OF NORWAY.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED

A Man and Wife to take charge of Watford Town Farm for one year, beginning April 1, 1903. All bids must be in on or before March 21, and applicants are requested to furnish references. The right to reject any bids will be reserved. But three persons are to be considered. The Board will be in session Saturday, March 28, to decide upon all applications.
10-13
W. K. HAINES, Selectman.
F. A. NOBLE, of
G. H. KEENE, Watford.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE

The Committee on Legal Affairs will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta, Wednesday, March 11, 1903, at 2 p. m. on an Act to incorporate the Buckfield Power and Electric Light Company; No. 130, on an Act to incorporate the Mt. Auburn Cemetery Association. 10

JOHN W. MANSON, Secretary.

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HEBRON.

Work of Missions.

The Ladies' Circle and Missionary Circle met in the church for a supper and exercises Tuesday afternoon and evening. Rev. Mr. Turner of Buckfield was present and gave an address upon his missionary travels in Burma. Rev. Mr. Cotton and wife of Norway gave very interesting remarks upon the work of missions. Mrs. Gilman, president of the mission circle and Prof. W. E. Sargent gave talks upon other works of missions.

Etta Sturtevant has been spending a few days in Auburn.

Mrs. Ella Bearce went to Auburn Thursday and returned Friday.

Judge and Mrs. Bonney of Portland spent Saturday and Sunday in Hebron.

Several from Hebron Grange attended Pomona Grange at West Paris Tuesday.

A horse belonging to Ed Glover and one to Alphonso Billings died recently.

WILSON'S MILLS.

J. W. Clark, who has been spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Rufie Holmes at Montpelier, Vt., came back Wednesday and is now stopping with R. S. Bean.

The Azicoos Grange is still receiving new members. They meet at the home of the treasurer, Mrs. John Olson, whose spacious rooms are well adapted to the purpose.

The roads in the neighborhood were broken out Wednesday by H. G. Bennett, road agent, and we are now able to make calls. Will Hart and wife were out calling on neighbors two days the past week. Mrs. Nora Bennett was in town visiting Mrs. R. A. Story and her sister, Mrs. C. Fox.

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NORTH WATERFORD.

A Play of Shadows.

The Ladies circle met in the vestry, Feb. 24, with about 100 in attendance. After a bountiful supper, all enjoyed a shadow play from "Samantha and Joshua" entitled "A night of trouble." At a business meeting held in connection with this gathering the following officers were chosen:

President, Mrs. Helen R. Saunders.
Vice-president, Mrs. Ellen R. Millett.
Secretary, Mrs. Alice W. Saunders.
Treasurer, Mrs. Louise Knight.
Next circle in the vestry, March 10.

A Chapter on Visiting.

Fred Mosher called, last Saturday, on G. B. Rice and Geo. O. Farmer.

Mrs. Hattie Rice spent the day, last Thursday, with Mrs. Charles Rice.

Burnham Rice and daughter, Vera, called on Mr. and Mrs. E. B. York, last Monday.

Arthur Saunders, familiarly known as "Peckery", was at G. B. Rice's, early last Monday.

James Browne and Mrs. Linnie Allen called at G. B. Rice's last Friday, also at C. H. Rice's.

Mrs. J. F. Rice spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. G. F. Stone, of Norway.

Beatrice Saunders and Dot Rogers called, last Wednesday, to see Vera Rice's little sister, Madeline.

Mrs. Charles Rice spent the day, last Monday, at her daughter's, Mrs. Millett, while her folks were at town meeting.

Mrs. Charles Saunders and little Elizabeth, spent the day, the 25th, at her husband's brothers, Fred and Harry Saunders.

Mrs. Helen B. Knight and son Ralph spent the day last Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Browne at Watford.

Frank Knight is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. John F. Rice is visiting her son in Lewiston.

Frank Knight is very sick at his sister's, Mrs. Henry Proctor.

Mrs. Ella Knight and son have gone to Norway, for a few days visit.

A number of Odd Fellows visited Bridgton Lodge, Monday evening, March 2.

There will be a social dance at Odd Fellow's hall, Saturday evening, March 7.

Mell Hamlin and Arthur Saunders are to move his brother Fred's goods to Norway.

Mrs. Curtis, who has been stopping at Alden Washburn's, has returned to her home in Lewiston.

Mrs. George Brownell went to Bethel, last Sunday to visit her brother, Ira Jordan, who is very sick.

The Misses Hattie, Alice and Helen Saunders and Isabel Woodbury spent the day last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pond at East Stoneham.

Blanche Millett of Watford who for the past four weeks has been helping with the work for her aunts, Mrs. G. B. and Mrs. B. W. Rice's, returned to her home, last Sunday.

The Ladies circle will meet at the vestry on next Tuesday the 9th. A baked bean supper to be followed by an entertainment given by five young men, who are to "black themselves up."

All are saddened at the removal of Fred Saunders and family who have gone to Norway to live. Mrs. Saunders has held the position of church organist for a number of years, seldom if ever having been absent, and Fred has been leader of the choir. Rarely is such excellent music heard in churches, and all feel deeply the loss of such faithful, willing workers.

SWEDEN.

F. C. Weston spent Sunday with his family at Bolster's Mills.

Rev. Gideon Ridlon held service at the Ridlon schoolhouse, Sunday.

Frank Durgin has finished hauling his hemlock timber to Kezar river.

Mrs. George Wilson of North Richardson, with her four sons, Mrs. L. S. Richardson, Alice L. Perry is spending her vacation at home from her school in Conway, N. H.

Howard Morrison with one of his teams is hauling pine from the Mann lot to the river.

Ben D. Knight is at home from driving an ox team to the head of Highland lake for Jesse Ridlon.

Frank Billings and mother of South Watford were at J. W. Perry's, Tuesday, Feb. 24th.

W. D. Moulton and Ned Holden have finished hauling R. O. Moulton's hemlock to Kezar river.

Sever Brackets, who has been a great sufferer from rheumatism, is not so well at the present writing.

Friday, E. S. Bennett finished hauling the pine from the Morrison lot on the North Bridgton road for M. E. Perry.

Dea. Samuel Plummer passed his 88th birthday, Feb. 14th. L. F. Plummer of South Paris and S. L. Plummer and family dined with him. He continues very feeble.

Rev. J. F. Woodman of Oxford spent a night with Mrs. Mary Plummer on his return from a visit to his aged mother, Mrs. John Woodman, at Simson Charles' in Fryeburg.

The extreme cold prevented a large company gathering at the circle at Town Hall and entertainment by the Fryeburg people at the M. E. church, Wednesday evening, Feb. 18th. Thirty-two people came from Fryeburg, showing more zeal than the Sweden people.

Fryeburg Center.

Mrs. Carrie Walker has been in the place this week calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Harnden were guests at Edwin Abbott's, March 2.

Edwin Abbott and W. Day were in Norway the first of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Emerson entertained a whist party, Tuesday evening, Feb. 24.

H. Kelsey Hobbs is critically ill with consumption and is cared for by a trained nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Farrington, Mr. and Mrs. Amos McIntire visited Mrs. M. Chandler, Monday.

Hazen Walker has nearly recovered his health and is able to take his accustomed walks about the neighborhood.

John Shaw, who has been boarding with his son George, at North Fryeburg this winter, is a guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Hutchins.

Seth Stevens who has made his home in the West for a number of years past, has returned to Fryeburg with his family and called on his niece, Mrs. Samuel Wiggin.

Advertised Letters, Norway.
Mrs. Henry Barnes, Bertha Gammon,
Gerald Wing, Charles McLaughlin.

EAST OTSIFIELD.

Died of Pneumonia.

Orin S. Winship died at his home in this place, Feb. 24th, of pneumonia. Mr. Winship was a highly esteemed citizen and will be greatly missed by all. He leaves three daughters, Mrs. John Lunt of Auburn, Mrs. Edmund Brown of this place and Carrie Winship, also one brother, D. N. Winship, and one sister, Mrs. Francis Edwards of South Paris. Funeral was held, Friday at 10 a. m., at the F. B. church, Rev. Edward Tuck of Otsifield and Rev. C. C. Foster officiating. Interment in Elmwood cemetery.

Edmund Brown has bought a horse of S. H. Wardwell.

Little Almond Hurst of Welchville is visiting at C. O. Martin's.

George Jordan is sick at this writing, also Fred Kemp is sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Abbie Peaco and daughter Fronie of Welchville were in this place Sunday.

Nellie Bowker of Auburn spent Sunday with her parents, Moses Spiller and wife.

Mrs. Charles Scribner returned from a three weeks' visit in Massachusetts and Portland, Saturday.

Lester Scribner and wife of Massachusetts spent a week ago last Sunday with friends in this place.

Mrs. Horace Cleveland and children of Norway have been visiting Mrs. Q. A. Cleveland the past week.

John Lunt and wife of Auburn were called to this place by the sudden death of her father, Orin S. Winship.

Mrs. Francis Edwards and son Vernal of South Paris were in town, Friday, to attend the funeral of her brother, Orin Winship.

LYNCHVILLE.

Mrs. Frank Chandler has returned to her home at North Lovell.

H. B. McKee of West Stoneham is canvassing for wall paper.

Silas McKee has finished hauling his wood. He hauled quite a lot of wood for Elmer Cordwell.

There must be quite a lot of sickness. We can hear the doctor's bells both night and day at almost any hour.

Mrs. Lydia McKee, who has been stopping at Norway with her daughter Belle, is calling on old friends in this vicinity.

Charles McKee has been cutting ice the past week on Lower Stone pond. I understand that he is going to furnish ice to people who have no place to store a quantity.

Bessie McKee, who has been at Norway to work for Mrs. P. Nevers, came home some four weeks ago and is going to return to work for Mrs. Nevers, this week.

Mrs. Ellsworth Meader has returned to her family. She has been to Boston to doctor and was gone four months. I hear she is about the same as she was when she went away.

HANOVER.

E. E. Howe has sold his horse to M. J. Swain at the upper part of the town.

Charlie Smith is at home from Farmington. He is looking after the lumber interests of this place.

Business at the Hanover House has been good and Prof. Holt had a lot of horses at his stable last week.

J. O. S. Dyke and wife have returned home from Wilton where they have been caring for Mr. Dyke's father who is very sick.

The pump broke at the new mill on Ellis river last Friday which caused a shut down for a few days. They are running again.

At the town meeting the town voted to build a road from the so called H. N. Howe Patch gate to Indian Rock camp and voted to raise \$75 for same. This will without doubt help W. C. Holt who runs a public camp on the road.

WATERFORD.

Mrs. Sarah Gertz of Portland is visiting her cousin, Louise M. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Morse are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Wm. H. Doten and her son Carroll of South Paris are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. D. Morse.

Quite a number of ox teams are coming into our village with wood, which looks quite old-fashioned.

Stated communication of Mt. Tire'm Lodge, F. & A. M., Tuesday evening, March 3rd. The D. D. G. Master is expected to be present and business of importance is to come before the lodge. A full attendance is desired. Refreshments. Regular meeting of Keoka Chapter, O. E. S., Friday evening, March 13th. Refreshments before the meeting.

WEST PARIS.

H. K. Moore stopped here one day last week on his way to Berlin.

A little niece of Dr. F. H. Packard's of Bethel is visiting at his house.

Ed Corbett of Colebrook, N. H., came here last week to see his niece, Mrs. Gustavus Bryant.

Mary Wheeler of Oakland came Tuesday to visit her brother, Dr. F. E. Wheeler and wife.

Al Swift and wife from South Paris have moved into Mrs. Bucknam's rent over the drug store.

We hear that Maple Hotel has been sold to Jesse Dexter of Norway. He is to take possession April 1.

Mrs. E. Owens, evangelist, from Plymouth, Mass., preached at the Free Baptist church last Sunday morning.

Benj. Jones who has been working for Davis Curtis for several months, has finished and gone to work in New Britain, Conn.

Horatio Hammond has tonsillitis and was unable to go to school, which he thinks was unfortunate for it was the last week and he had some part in the entertainment.

A good many strangers were in town last Tuesday, to the Pomona Grange. The all-day meeting was held in Centennial Hall, with 400 people in attendance. Dinner was served in the lower hall.

Two ladies from Norway started Sunday morning in a team to carry their grandmother, Mrs. Thomas, who was not very well and anxious to get home. The roads were soft on account of the rain on Saturday. The horse slumped and they were tipped out several times, but finally reached the house of George Berry at Trap Corner where they were obliged to remain over night. Monday morning the two ladies returned home to Norway and Mrs. Thomas was brought here to the afternoon train. We hope she arrived home without further trouble but heard that she was unable to stand alone when she reached Bryant's Pond where she was to take the stage to complete her journey.

FRESH NEWS

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Some new styles in Suits, Waists and Skirts nearly every day

ONE LOT SUITS, good quality cheviot, black, blue and reds, blouse front jacket, wide flare skirt, drop lining, well made \$10.00

Others in misses' or ladies' at \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00. The suits are a little different this year but very pretty and stylish.

Advance Showing of Waists

White is still the proper thing for spring. We have them in silk, silk muslin and mercerized cottons. One very pretty style \$1.49

This is of mercerized cotton, wide plaits front and back, large pearl buttons, large sleeve, very stylish and durable. Others, \$1.98 and \$2.98

ONE LOT white cashmere, slot seams faggotted, pearl buttons, large sleeves, lined \$2.98

New colored waists from 50c up

ONE LOT fancy ginghams, tucked yoke with stripes diagonally across the front, pearl buttons, large sleeves, all colors and sizes 89c

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ONE LOT wool moreen, wide flounce with ruffle, very full, saateen yoke \$3.98

Others of saateen, from \$1.00 up.

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Popular prices for well made, good fitting, stylish skirts.

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